# Here are their responses...

### **We picked Ms. Kinder because....**

"Ms.Kinder is an example of Maya Strong because she pushes each and everyone of her students to do better and she helped me pass my math Aims." -S.B.

"Kinder doesn't allow excuses and actually disciplines students who use their electronics. She is a great teacher that can perform her job well." - B.B.

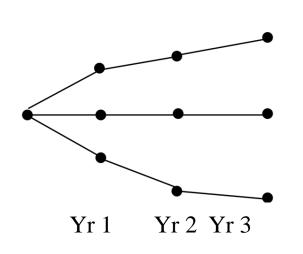
"Because she's always in a maya shirt or sweater"- H.C.

## Teacher Action is the Difference

"The greatest influence in the quality of the education that a student receives is the decisions that a teacher makes on a daily basis."

-- Dr. William Schmidt, University of Michigan





83<sup>rd</sup> Percentile

(Grade Level)

29th Percentile



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-- Tim Kanold, Adlai E. Stevenson HS, Chicago



-- Dr. Uri Treismen, University of Texas, Austin



#### Teachers matter most.

-- David Foster, Silicon Valley Math Initiative, CA









